



OFFICE OF PRIESTLY &
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DIOCESE OF SACRAMENTO

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June 12, 2017

Dear Pastor,

We have a few wonderful opportunities for all families, especially the youth of our diocese and students who are athletes. We hope you can help us promote these opportunities to create awareness for vocations and for an opportunity of fellowship with the families of our diocese!

Please consider making an announcement after Sunday Masses and place an ad in your bulletin with the schedule of activities with our guest speaker, Fr. Chase Hilgenbrinck, former soccer pro turned priest! Anyone who desires to attend any of these events (except for the Collar Cup), can RSVP by contacting the Office of Vocations at (916) 733-0258 or by email at msmith@scd.org. The following is the schedule:

- **Friday, June 30, 2017/10 a.m. - Raising a Family Open to Vocations • Free will donation.**
Pastoral Center (Manogue Room), 2110 Broadway, Sacramento, CA 95818:
 - **Who:** All ministries in our diocese, especially those who work with youth

- **Friday, June 30, 2017/5 p.m. to 9 p.m. – Cast the Net to the Other Side • Free will donation.**
Newman Center: 5900 Newman Court, Sacramento, CA 95819
 - **Who:** Youth Leaders & Newman Center Leaders

- **Saturday, July 1, 2017/10 a.m. – 12 p.m. – “I Can Do All Things in Him, Who Strengthens Me”**
Meet and Greet with Athletes from Diocesan Communities • Free will donation.
Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, 711 T Street, Sacramento, CA 95817
 - **Who:** Athletes with their parents - K-High School

- **Saturday, July 1, 2017/4:00 p.m. Collar Cup – Soccer Match: Priests vs. Seminarians**
\$17 per person (www.CollarCup.com)
Bonney Field/Papa Murphy’s (Cal Expo)
 - **Who:** Families (everyone)/4:00 p.m. Arrival time, Event begins with Mass at 4:30 p.m. on the Field (Celebrant: Fr. Chase Hilgenbrinck), Blessing of the Athletes (at the end of Mass), Soccer Match, Meet & Greet with Fr. Chase Hilgenbrinck (and religious sisters), followed by Professional Soccer Match (San Antonio FC vs. Sacramento Republic FC).

Fraternally in Christ,

Rev. Jovito Rata
Director of Vocations